



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3747**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Tatsuo KOBAYASHI

Group Art Unit: 3747

Application No.: 10/607,128

Examiner: M. GIMIE

Filed: June 27, 2003

Docket No.: 116378

For: INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE OF COMPRESSING AND AUTO-IGNITING AIR-FUEL MIXTURE AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING SUCH INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the March 29, 2006 Office Action, and in consideration of the April 4, 2006 brief telephone interview with the Examiner, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**